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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 2,

Line 34, "ax" should be replaced with -- α --;

Column 13,

Line 17, "a" should be replaced with -- α --;

Column 14,

Line 65, "a" should be replaced with -- α --;

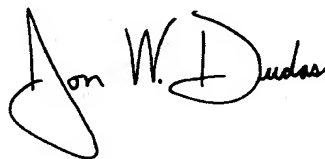
Column 16,

Line 62, the formula should read:

$$-- z(r) = [(C \cdot r^2) / (1 + \sqrt{1 - (1+k) \cdot C^2 \cdot r^2})] + A_1 r^2 + A_2 r^4 + A_3 r^6 + A_4 r^8 + A_5 r^{10} --.$$

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